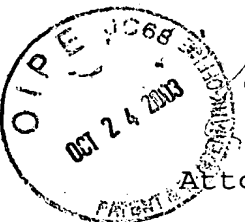


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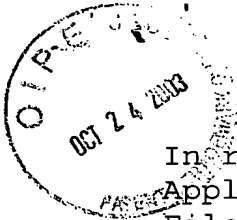
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- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 13, 2003,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of
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Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

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